

<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b> Applicant(s): <span style="float: right;">Docket No. ITL.0519US (P10729)</span>			
Serial No. 09/881,063	Filing Date 03/16/01	Examiner Thanh Y. Tran	Group Art Unit 2841
Invention: <b>CIRCUIT BOARD AND SLOT CONNECTOR ASSEMBLY</b>			
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>			
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.			
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In re Applicants: Joe A. Harrison, et al. § Art Unit: 2841  
Serial No.: 09/811,063 §  
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED APRIL 23, 2003

Dear Sir:

Please amend the claims, in accordance with the following CLAIM AMENDMENTS section.

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